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## A MERRY CHRISTMAS

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List of Improvements for 1894—A Total that Shows What We are Doing—No Sign of a Panic in This Exhibit—Prospects for All Greater Solid Growth Next Year—Figures that do no Lie.

It is no idle boast to say that Hopkinsville is to day the most prosperous inland city in Kentucky. It has continued to grow right along, one year after another, and this year it has shown a more substantial growth than any city in the state. We do not claim to have a boom, but it is solid, permanent improvement, which if kept up for five years longer will put Hopkinsville in the front rank of the third class cities of the state.

Facts and figures do not lie and the array of statistics below bear out the claim that Hopkinsville is constantly and rapidly growing in wealth, population and importance. The list of buildings here given is by no means complete, but the improvements noted aggregate the handsome total of over \$200,000 for the year.

IN CITY LIMITS ONLY.

S. A. Gooch, one room, main street 100.

Henry Phelps, two-room cottage, Clay street 500.

J. E. Vaughan, small cottage old fair ground 300.

Andrew Mimmis, stable, 3rd street 30.

Mrs. Lucy Summers, remodeling building on Main street, corner Court 9,000.

Laura Coleman, box kitchen, 14th street 15.

T. L. Metcalfe, frame and iron room, Liberty and 8th streets 200.

Chas. J. Justice, two-room cottage 750.

John Young, addition to residence 200.

A. J. Meador, cottage on 18th street 450.

Chas. M. Meacham, brick store-house, etc. Main street, two stories 2,300.

J. H. Anderson, brick store house, Main street, three stories 8,000.

S. H. Myers, two-story frame dwelling, Main and 2nd streets 1,400.

H. Fields, two room cottage 16th street 150.

Hopkinsville Athletic Club, grand stand and fence 600.

Ollie Blythe, frame cottage, Cleveland ave 900.

Forbes & Bro., frame cottage 450.

Additions to three residences on Main street 1,500.

Chas. Collins, frame cottage 500.

Mrs. S. J. Dalton, brick residence, E. 7th street 1,300.

J. J. Mathews, four-room frame cottage, High street 600.

Phil Gaither, two-story frame dwelling, Walnut st. 2,500.

Carrie P. Brent, two frame cottages, Burgess street 300.

Mrs. Mary Blumstedt, four-room frame cottage, Brown street 900.

Lucy J. Chastain, frame cottage, Twyman street 350.

Wm. Washington, frame dwelling, Younglove st. 250.

Priscilla Ruffin, frame cottage, Younglove street 300.

Mrs. J. F. Wells, frame room, Jessup ave. 80.

Andrew Seagood, brick addition to office, Main st. 600.

L. P. Guthrie, five-room cottage, 17th street 800.

West & Lea, two frame cottages, 18th street 900.

Juo. A. Twyman, addition to dwelling, 19th street 210.

J. H. Dagg, two-story frame building, 17th street 900.

H. A. Williams, frame real dense, stable etc., South Va. street 1,300.

C. A. Brasher, frame stable, 16th street 25.

W. W. Gray, frame stable, 1st street 25.

E. Williams, addition to house, 1st street 15.

Chas. Jessup, frame stable, Jackson street 40.

P. Campbell, frame cottage, Campbell street 100.

Mrs. S. J. Dalton, frame stable, coal and wood

house, E. 7th street

Rich Merriweather, frame cottage, Greenville street

T. L. Metcalfe, two story brick building, 7th street.

M. C. Forbes, frame cottage, 9th street

F. J. Brownell, frame shed, Clay street

Columbus Stacker, frame cottage, Hays street.

S. E. Trice, addition to cottage, 17th street

S. C. Mercer, two-story frame dwelling, West 7th street

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W. S. Boale, iron stable, 10th street

Mat Gregg, frame crib, Gowen street

Wm. Hubbard, frame crib, 1st street

J. S. Fritz, frame box house, Walnut street

J. G. Hord, frame cabin, 12th street

Ferd. Schmidt, two-story brick house, Virginia st.

J. B. Jackson, frame cottage, So. Virginia street

E. L. Foulke, frame stable, R. R. street

Mascham & Bradshaw, small brick store house, Main st.

J. E. Ricketts, one story brick store house, West 7th street

W. B. Owen, one-story brick store-house, West 7th st.

Lucy T. Moore, addition to residence, 6th and Liberty streets

J. C. Graves, addition to house, 1st street

Joe D. Ware, smokehouse, Virginia street

J. H. Dagg, frame dwelling, 17th street

Dr. I. N. Vaughan, improvements 50.

W. B. Lander, cottage 200.

Geo. Walker, cottage 700.

Ben Coleman, cottage, Crescent Milling Co., improvements 250.

Hotel Latham, Virginia St., between 6th and 7th, three and a half stories, pressed brick, house and furnishings 101,000.

Baptist church corner Main and Fourteenth streets, and furnishings 28,000.

Public School building, temporary frame for branch building, South Virginia street 1,600.

Balle, Waller, remodeling interior of old Baptist church 500.

L. L. Buckner, repairs on livery stable, Virginia street 200.

S. C. Mercer, cottage and out houses, W. 7th street 1,800.

Hopkinsville Water, Light & Power Co., improvements to plant 2,000.

Telephone Company, improvements to plant 3,000.

W. T. Cooper, private water works plant 2,000.

Minor improvements not included in above list 5,000.

\$208,000.

That this list representing more than \$200,000 of improvements is not an exceptional showing is evidenced by the improvements on foot for another year, which will exceed those of 1894.

The addition to the Western Insane Asylum, the contract for which has been let to Forbes & Bro., while not in the city limits, should be included in the local improvements, since the asylum is really a part of Hopkinsville. This will represent an expenditure of \$65,000.

The water works plant also under contract, will bring to the city the investment of capital to the value of \$30,000.

Forbes & Bro. will build a block of brick business houses on Main, between 10th and 11th streets, adjoining their hardware store.

Ragsdale, Cooper & Co. are planning to erect a block of brick business houses.

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### CREAM OF NEWS.

#### POST YOURSELF BY READING WHAT HAS HAPPENED.

Early Christmas Night—Chicken Thieves Rob President Pyle—Killed in a Saw-Mill—Inherited a Fortune—Pirates and Police—Romantic Marriage.

Inherited a Fortune.

By the death of a bachelor relative named Henderson, in London, England, Mrs. David Clark, of Henderson, Ky., has inherited a vast fortune. All of Mr. Henderson's immense estate, except a few special bequests, was left to five cousins, Mrs. David Clark and Mrs. James Clark, the latter of Louisville, being two of them. The old gentlemen died Dec. 2 and the two ladies who live in this State have just been informed of their good fortune and they will leave this week for London to look after the settlement of the estate. The exact amount is not known, but the estate is supposed to be worth \$3,000,000. It is expected that after paying all special bequests there will be more than a half million left for each of the five heirs. The Glasgow says it is thought Mrs. Clark's one-fifth will be about \$510,000.

Christmas Gifts to Widows.

The KENTUCKIAN invites each and every pastor in Hopkinsville and Christian county to send it the name of some poor and deserving widow in his congregation who is not a subscriber to and is unable to pay for the KENTUCKIAN, which should be a visitor in every home in Christian county. We will place such names upon our books and send them the paper during the year 1895 without cost to any one. If these practical "Christmas gifts" to the worthy poor brighten their homes and give them pleasure, we will feel amply repaid. This offer is a business proposition that means what it says. Ministers in charge of churches, send in the names at once, as the proposition will be open only one week, until January 1st.

Difficulty Ends in Bloodshed.

A serious and what may prove fatal difficulty occurred near Adams Station, Tenn., seven miles south of Guthrie, Friday, between two farmers, Liphus Moore and Anderson Tow. In the fight which was ensued Tow was shot in the arm and side with a shot gun in the hands of Moore, at close range. After the shooting Moore then struck the wounded man with a heavy stick, breaking several of his ribs, causing internal injuries which will likely prove fatal. Tow is 65 years old and quite feeble, while Moore is only about 50 years old and is in robust health. Moore was bound over to the court.

Married in The Road.

James Chester and Miss Alice Lyle, daughter of Mr. E. B. Lyle, of Church Hill, were married in the public road near Mr. W. E. Adcock's, last Tuesday. On account of parental objections, they met there by appointment and Rev. J. M. Joiner said the ceremony that made them one as they sat in a buggy. They then went to the home of the groom's father, near Bennettsboro.

A Christmas Donation.

The lofty spire of the Episcopal church, which is on the adjoining square to the Hotel Latham, is being repainted and gilded in a most attractive manner. It is understood that this is another evidence of the endless generosity of Mr. John R. Latham, he having ordered the bill, which will amount to \$800, to be sent to him for settlement.

Robbed This Ten Hours.

Last Friday night chicken thieves entered Mr. A. W. Pyle's hen house and carried off about a dozen of his finest fowls. They only left behind two aged hens and an old rooster. Mr. Pyle lives on Main street, his property being well lighted by the electric lights, and the robbery was certainly a very bold one.

Saw Still Man Killed.

Chas. Reed, employed at Mr. Thos. Harris' saw mill in Robertson county, was a few miles south of Guthrie, with a horrible death one day last week. While adjusting a log on the carriage, Reed fell against the saw and one foot and both arms were cut nearly off, causing death in a few hours.

### FIRE AT LAFAYETTE.

The Bentley House Narrowly Escapes Total Destruction.

Last Thursday evening about 7 o'clock the Lafayette hotel was discovered in flames and the building was badly damaged before the fire was brought under control. The fire originated in a rear room and the supposition is that a spark from the grate fell on the carpet, as a fire had just been started in the room a short while before the flames were discovered issuing from the ventilators on the roof. Water was scarce in the place, but the bucket brigade was promptly on hand with all the quenching fluid available and did fine service. The building is the property of Mr. Joseph Bentley and was damaged to the extent of several hundred dollars, with no insurance. Mrs. Maggie Phippen, who operates the hotel, suffered a loss of something over a hundred dollars. Mr. Walter Arthur, a boarder, in whose room the fire originated, lost everything in the way of clothing, etc., stored in the room, in fact was left without a change of clothing. His loss amounts to about \$150. Neither Mrs. Phippen nor Mr. Arthur had any insurance, and their losses are also total. The building is a wood structure and the wonder is that it was not entirely destroyed, as the flames had gained such headway before they were discovered. W. T. Brum, marshal of the place, and Wm. Edwards, col., deserves special praise for their work on the occasion, as they fought the fire heroically, when the heat and smoke was so intense that it was almost unbearable and the house had been well nigh abandoned and given up as lost.

Gay South Christian.

The town of Lafayette will have several entertainments this week and the people of that place and vicinity will enjoy Christmas in old fashioned style. The first of the series of enjoyable affairs occurs this evening when a Christmas tree will be given under the management of Dr. Edwin Garner. Next in order will be a dance given by the young society people of the place at Purcell's Hall to-morrow evening. On Thursday the Masons will give an elegant dinner, and Friday night occurs a grand concert given in the Ragdale tobacco factory by the Lafayette Silver Cornet band. It is needless to add that all of these occasions will be very enjoyable, as the people of that place never do things by halves, and the rule still holds good. On New Year's night another dance at the hall will start up the new year with the society people of that section. Several persons from this city have been invited to attend the various entertainments and the prospects are good for Hopkinsville to be well represented.

The Baptist Closed.

The Baptist revival closed Sunday night after having been in progress two weeks. There were about 30 professions and restorations. On Sunday morning several united with the Baptist church and others have announced their intention of doing so. A large number of backsliders made confessions to the church and were received again into full fellowship. The closing service was held at the Tabernacle Sunday night, when Dr. Wharton preached his farewell sermon. This meeting, like all others, was largely attended.

Five Years Lease Closed.

Postmaster Wilgus has closed a lease of five years with Mr. John Mayson for the present postoffice building, and the office will remain in its present quarters until Oct. 1, 1899. This step has been taken by Mr. Wilgus after giving proper consideration to all of the locations proposed. The present station is centrally located, conveniently arranged and altogether desirable. After the holidays, the building will be rearranged, windows cut in the west side and various improvements added.

Big Trout Catch.

While cranking a pump near Chas. Hill last week Mr. Morris Gregor, caught three trout, the total weight of which was twenty-five pounds. Several bushels of smaller fish were taken from the pond, which was stocked with trout, and several fish several years ago.

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**FROM OVER THE SEA.**  
England has a woman recruiting sergeant in the person of Miss Gould of London.  
Of the 35,293 recruits levied for the Russian army in 1893, only six were unable to read and write.  
On the London, Dover and Chatham railroad, in England they use a hand-car which is propelled by means of a sail when the wind blows.  
A theater manager in Madrid was fined heavily the other day by the chief of police because his performance advertised to begin at 8 were commonly delayed half an hour.  
There was recently given in Berkshire, England, an instance of the remarkable decline in real estate in that country. A valuable estate which twenty years ago sold for \$30,000 was bought for \$3,500.  
By the use of the submarine detector the Russian monitor Rurik, which fought with all hands on board a little over a year ago in a storm in the gulf of Finland, has been found in thirty fathoms of water.  
Caneels are now in general use throughout Australia. Within twenty-five years, by scientific breeding, a race has been produced larger in frame, sounder in wind and limb, and able to carry more weight than the Indian canoe originally imported.  
One effect has come from the new tax on inheritances in England. Instead of bequests, gifts are being made while the donor is alive. Lord Ducie, for instance, has sent a check for \$300 to the Gloucestershire Infirmary, saying that his will cannot be that bequest, but that he preferred to save the charges made by the state.

**TALES THAT ARE TOLD.**  
Lee Sanders was taken before a New Hampshire square a few days ago charged with passing a counterfeit half dollar. He protested his innocence on the ground that the date of the coin, 1893, showed it could not have been in circulation so many years without being detected if it was counterfeit. The justice thought this a logical defense, and the prisoner was discharged. The half dollar was afterwards melted with the flame of a candle.  
A friend of the Boston Traveller tells of an amusing incident which occurred recently in a public school in one of Boston's suburbs. The word "Jehovah" had come up during a lesson, and after explaining it the teacher called upon the pupils for some other expression referring to the Deity. There was a moment's silence, and then a small boy on the end seat raised his hand. "Well, Johnny?" said the teacher. The boy was sure of his ground, and without hesitation he offered: "Holy Moses."  
One of Milwaukee's big brewers was a law student in Judge Hubbard's office many years ago. Horatio Seymour came into the office one day

and said to the youth as he sat reading: "Keep at it, my boy; read and study, study and read—that's the only way to become a lawyer. I read and studied a law seventeen years before I felt competent to try a case." "Well, that settles it," said the youthful student. "If it took you seventeen years to learn the business, Governor Seymour, I'll quit right now before I waste any more time."

**NOVEL CONTRIVANCES.**  
An odd steam engine built in 1705 still stands near Oldham, England. R. W. Wyatt, an Australian, has invented an attachment for a pool table consisting of inclined roads or tracks running beneath each pocket to the "spot" or 1 of the table in which roll the balls that fall into the pockets.  
The vast herds of rabbits that were once regarded as a plague in Australia are being turned to profitable account. They are skinned and their carcasses frozen and shipped in refrigerators all over the world. The skins are used on a cheap grade of muffs and ear warmers.  
Amsterdam will have next summer an international exhibition of hotel arrangements and accommodations for travelers. Among the features of the exhibition will be an "Electric Restaurant," with tables in which visitors will be served automatically with a complete dinner on pressing an electric button.  
Electricity is rather curiously applied to a carriage built for the German emperor. It is provided with electric lamps, which contain small accumulators. One is placed on the breast of each horse, also on the point of each pole of the carriage, at the sides and at the rear of the vehicle. Thus distributed they will make the route as bright as light at noonday for a distance of about fifty paces from the equipage, while the vehicle itself, with its occupants, will remain in perfect darkness.

**DESULTORY READING.**  
The New York Tribune came out first in April, 1841.  
You are first cousins twice removed to your first cousin's grandchild. Grandchildren of first cousins are third cousins to one another, and a first cousin's child is your first cousin once removed.  
Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Fenton of Warville, Tenn., are each six feet in height and their combined weight is 210 pounds. Their eldest son, Archibald, is five feet four and weighs with twelve pounds of his father and mother put together.  
Joseph Grim of Hamamont, Pa., was riding along a country road recently on his bicycle when he was stopped by three highwaymen. They wanted his money, etc. He took his wallet from his pocket, threw it several yards away, and, while the men were scrambling for it, mounted his wheel and escaped.

**GARNERED GRAINS.**  
From the time of Alexander the Great down to the time of Columbus, the average price of wheat was twenty-eight shillings a ton; from 1731 to 1800, the price averaged four times as much.  
Dr. Rahon is publishing in Paris an interesting study about the size of the human body, which shows that the men and women of to-day are from one to two inches taller than our ancestors.  
There is a curious area of a few acres in Chesapeake bay, above Crisfield, which is always disturbed, even in the calmest weather and when the surrounding water is still. It is called the "Puppy Hole."  
The greatest depth in which a ship has been anchored is 2,000 fathoms (considerably more than two miles). This was accomplished by the United States vessel Blake when employed on the work of charting the various ocean currents.  
A singular case was that of a St. Louis drummer who came home and found his wife divorced from him in a suit of which neither had any knowledge. Of course, it was an error involving a similarity of names, and was easily rectified.  
It is said that a week's work in Birmingham, England, comprises among its various results the fabrication of 14,000,000 pens, 6,000 bedsteads, 7,000 guns, 300,000 cut nails, 100,000 buttons, 1,000 saddle 5,000,000 copper or bronze coins, 30,000 pairs of spectacles.

The sale of accordions in this country is steadily decreasing, their place, especially in mandolins and guitars, of American manufacture. The present annual consumption in this country, exclusive of toy accordions, is estimated at 150,000. Accordions are made principally in Saxony, Germany.  
**GEMS OF THOUGHT.**  
No man is any stronger than his weak.  
Every drinkard was once a moderate drinker.  
The only thing that can really hurt any man or nation is sin.  
Just as surely as there is sin in the heart there will be sin in the life.  
Shadows have no claws, but they have frightened many people to death.  
If women people had money enough they would vex themselves to death.  
A genius is a man who does something that others say cannot be done.  
The man who builds a house tells the whole neighborhood something about himself.  
Men are made rich, not by what the world can give, but by what it can't take away.  
Dyspepsia seldom causes death, but permits its victims to live on, misery. Hood's Sarsaparilla cures dyspepsia and all stomach troubles.

If you want to find a pleasure greater than making money, try giving some of it away.  
When it turns black everywhere else, you can find plenty of light by looking straight up.  
Satan wants to keep a runaway temper and think nothing of it.  
Talking about charity beginning at home, is one of the ways by which we can let people know that we have none.  
Never fear to bring the unblindest motive to the smallest duty and the most infinite comfort to the smallest trouble.

**Painting Arctic Scenes.**  
Some of the difficulties of painting arctic scenes were explained recently by Frank W. Stokes, who undertook to make a thorough study of arctic effects in connection with the Peary expedition. One of his best pictures, he said, would be a moonlight scene on the everlasting snows. To paint this he had to keep up a perpetual dance before his easel, making a few dashes with his brush and then shaking himself vigorously to save himself from being frozen. He declared the moonlight was the most gorgeous he had ever seen, being so brilliant that he could easily distinguish his colors, even though they were on the conventional dark palette.

**A Novel Mustard Pot.**  
A new kind of mustard pot has been made that insures always having fresh mustard. It is the size of an ordinary mustard pot, and consists of two parts, in the lower half of which is placed the dry mustard, while in the neck of the upper part is a small container for the water necessary for mixing, together with a little screw, which, when turned by the consumer, allows the water to escape into the mustard below, the two being amalgamated by a turn or two of the screw. In this way a fresh supply for each meal can be obtained without waste or trouble, and as the pot can be taken in two in an instant, there is no difficulty about cleaning it.

"My dear," said the fond wife, "when we were engaged, I always slept with your last letter under my pillow." "And I," murmured her husband, "I, too, often went to sleep over your letters."

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### Dr. Price's Cream Baking Powder.

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## Received Highest Award At the World's Fair.

The award is a matter of official record. Nothing could settle so decisively the immeasurable superiority of Dr. Price's over all other powders as the great honor bestowed at Chicago.

### HE WAS IN LUCK.

A Shot Which Was as Successful as It Was Accidental.

A Maine veteran of the Revolution tells a story of good luck brought a poor marksman out of a bad scrape. Governor Fairfield visited Houlton and reviewed the troops stationed there as commander-in-chief, and, of course, it was the biggest kind of a military event. The Houlton fire company had some crack shots in it, and as part of the exercises in honor of the governor's coming they were marched out for target practice. As they made some excellent hits, the figure of an Indian being a mark, the governor expressed his pleasure in their proficiency and said loud enough for the men to hear: "Now, I would like to see your very best marksman try his skill."

In the company was a man noted for being able to hit anything, and at once, in a spirit of rivalry, the cry ran along the line repeating his name in answer to the governor's call. Without blinking he stepped six paces to the front and saluted.

"Where do you want me to hit him, governor?" he asked with perfect composure.

"Just at the bottom of his left ear, sir," said the chief magistrate, pointing at the mark.

"All right, sir." The soldier raised his gun, shut his eyes and turned his head away as usual and fired. The men were all a broad grin at the great joke of the thing, but when the bullet struck the mark whittling off a piece of the Indian's left ear, there was a shout of surprise that could be heard all over the township.

### HISTORIC FAT WOMEN.

Celebrities Who Were More or Less Disposed to Hebe.

From ancient, mediæval and modern history the following facts about fat women are gleaned. Agrippina, Nero's mother, was fat. Cleopatra, the serpent of the Nile, as Marc Anthony called her, was small and fat. Larrs, Petrarch's muse, was fat, fair, with black hair. The Meria Flammata, whom Boccaccio loved intensely, was a brunette and fat, with thick red hair. Marguerite of Navarre was fat. All Robens' women, except his wife, were fat. All Titian's women, except the madonna, were fat. Catherine of Russia was tall and fat. Louis Stuart, for whom Alexander di Medici died, was rather stout. Josephine Beauharnais, the infatuated Creole, afterward empress of the French, was fat and portly; Mme. Roland also. The unfortunate Marie Antoinette was tall of stature, majestic and fat. Mme. de Steal, small, dork and fat, with a small head. Georges Sand had a beautiful head, but was fat and small. Haine said of her: "The build of her body has the appearance of being a little too fat, at least, a little too short, the head

### HINTS TO CIGAR SMOKERS.

Always Blow the Dust, or Before Lighting a Fresh Weed.

"There are two things which all cigar smokers might observe with profit," said T. C. Brewster to a reporter. Mr. Brewster travels for a large cigar manufactory and knows a thing or two about the ethics of smoking. "Before lighting a cigar blow off the end, and placing it and to be lighted between your lips, blow through it. In this way you get rid of a fine dust that accumulates in a cigar when it is dry, which is apt to inflame your vocal chords and injure your voice. It is a valuable hint for singers, and I know of quite a number of professional opera singers who never light a cigar until they have blown out the dust. To the failure to do this may be attributed in great part the throat diseases with which stalk smokers are afflicted."

"Another valuable suggestion from an economic standpoint is to thrust your cigar into your vest pocket with the point end up. Many vest pockets are so shallow as to cause the end of a cigar to stick out over the edge. The constant rubbing of the end against the large end, which is very much more sensitive, than the small end, is to fray and break, necessitating the waiting of the wrapper in order to make the cigar available at all. Any one who will use these two hints will live longer and save money."

### HOLIDAY EXCURSION RATES

To Points on O. V. Ry., C. O. & N. W. R. R. and N. E. L. & T. R. R.

On Dec. 22nd to the 25th, and Dec. 25th to Jan. 1st, 1896, the Ohio Valley Ry., will sell round trip tickets to stations upon the above lines at one and one-third fare. All tickets will be good returning until Jan. 3rd, 1896.

B. F. MITCHELL, G. P. A.

### Mines of Wood.

A curious source of wealth is reported by the French consul at Mongtze, in upper Tonquin. It lies in wood mines. The wood originally was a pine forest, which the earth swallowed in some cataclysm. Some of the trees are a yard in diameter. They lie in a solid direction, and in some soils which cover them to a depth of about eight yards. As the top branches are well preserved, it is thought the geological conclusion, which the buried trees can not be of great antiquity. The wood furnished by these timber mines is imperishable, and the Chinese gladly buy it for coffins. Along the coast regions of some parts of New Jersey there are trunks of egyptian trees, deeply buried in the sand, the recovery of which forms a valuable industry. Another being used for making shingles.

### What He Wanted.

One evening, at a symphony rehearsal of the Meiningen orchestra, Bulow stopped the orchestra and exclaimed: "Kettle-drums ferret!" The drummer, who thought he had done pretty well already, redoubled his efforts; but again Bulow stopped and shouted: "Kettle-drums ferret!" Once more the drummer put on extra steam, and when Bulow stopped again, he exclaimed: "Really, Herr Kapellmeister, if I beat any harder I shall break through the roof of the hall. You do that," retorted Bulow quietly: "You play fortissimo, and what I want is forte only."

### Corsets for the Feet.

The latest atrocity in the interest of fashion is a corset for the feet. The new instrument of torture is made so as to enable a size smaller shoe to be worn than would be otherwise possible, and consists of a strong though thin piece of web, which is fixed round the instep while the foot is off the ground. When it is in place it is comparatively easy to put on the shoe, which is altogether too small, and the pressure being on the corset instead of the shoe, the latter does not stretch.

### New Reading of an Old Saying.

"Tommy," said the teacher, "you may put in different language the proverbial saying: 'Let me write the songs of my country and I care not who makes its laws.' About fifteen minutes later Tommy handed in a paper bearing the words: 'Let me give the laws of a country, and I don't care who holds the pipes.'"

### Notes for Holidays.

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### Notes of the Nations.

The Tartars are supposed to have, as a nation, the most powerful voices in the world. The German possesses the loudest voices of any civilized people. The voices of both Japanese and Chinese are of a very low order and feeble compass, and are probably the lowest of any other nation. Taken as a whole, Europeans have stronger, clearer and better voices than the inhabitants of the other continents.

Miss Carhart—Our acquaintance has been so short that I feel I ought to know more about you before I consent to be your wife. Perhaps Parker, still—Very well, I can refer you to any of the girls I have been engaged to.

The married Western copartner with due reverence, and the widow suggested as a suitable inscription on the tombstone, "His work is over." But the stonecutter thought that the inscription was a bit too long, and that the inscription would read more appropriately, "His work was over."

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Retail—My wife has had a call from nearly every lady in Henderson, and we've been there only a fortnight. Morrison says—Oh, yes, I believe you told me before that you bought all new furniture.  
A woman who had lost her way on the street in London recently, paid three pence and had herself escorted by special messenger from the postoffice to her home, where a receipt for her was duly obtained.  
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## HERE AND ABOUT.

NOTHING BUT NEWS FOUND IN THIS COLUMN.

Many items of local interest tersely said for busy readers. If it is news you want you will find it here.

Eq. G. W. J. is very ill at his home near Fairview.

Mr. Rufus Legatt has been given a place of operator at Maunington. Octavious Woolley, col., has opened a stock of goods at Garrettsburg.

The Hardin Independent, at Elizabethtown, has been attacked for libel.

Only one more week to hunt partridges. The game law is again in force Jan. 1.

Lon Edwards, near Seheer, had his barn, containing twelve acres of tobacco burned. No insurance.

Jack Draus, col., was crushed to death in the Langstaff mill at Paducah, while handling a saw log.

E. C. Reed's training stable at Fulton was burned and six fine horses cremated. Insurance, \$1,800.

The protracted meeting at Vaughn's Chapel resulted in twenty-eight conversions and twelve additions to the church.

McGee & Wall are enlarging their livery stable at Gracy, and in future will be better prepared to conduct their livery business.

Dick Fagan and another negro known as "Happy Jack" have been jailed at Henderson charged with burglarizing Marion's store.

Judge F. W. Darby who has been sick for four months with typhoid fever is very low, and it is thought can live only a few days. Princeton Banner.

Freight receipts at the two depots in this city for the month of November were the heaviest ever known for a single month at this place.

The following persons have secured pensions in the last few days: Mary Dudley, Cadiz; Jesse Pencher, Hopkinsville; Francis B. Dunbar, St. Charles; increase; Martha E. Earle, Clinton; Mexican war survivor's increase.

Dr. R. E. Moore, of Marion, fell on the back porch of his residence a few nights ago and broke three of his ribs, besides receiving other injuries. Dr. Moore is a candidate for railroad commissioner in the first district, and will be kept out of the canvass for several weeks. Princeton Banner.

Mr. Geo. W. Long, for the winter jailer of Christian county, will vacate his office Jan. 7 and will be succeeded by the first Republican jailer the county has ever had, Mr. W. T. Williamson. "Uncle" George will occupy a boarding house in one of Mr. Mercer's buildings on the Glass property, next to the Tabernacle.

According to this, clipped from the Elkton Progress, Editor Bob Morningstar, of Bowling Green, is a father for the first time: "A new Morningstar has appeared in the editorial firmament. It's of considerable magnitude, 8 pounds, and papa Bob could not be happier if every one of the Democrat's subscribers had come in and renewed for 1886."

The schools are all taking holiday this week. The young folks who are at school here have all gone home, and those who are away at other schools have returned home to see their parents. The public schools have turned loose a thousand children who will enjoy themselves as only children can until Dec. 31st.

John T. Boddie, whose marriage to Miss Judith Reynolds Lott, of New York, will take place Dec. 26, gave a last bachelor's dinner at the University club last evening. The guests of honor were Malcolm M. Boddie, who will officiate as best man, and Ferrius W. Peck, Jr., Granville W. Browning, Frederick W. Bleike, Wm. Preston Harrison, Chicago, and Mr. Alfred McGill of Clinton, Ill., all of whom will serve as ushers at the wedding. A box party at the Chicago Opera House followed the dinner. Chicago Tribune.

Mr. D. D. Guest sold a pair of match harness horses to President Cleveland this week, and shipped them Wednesday to Washington. They are dark bays, standard bred, perfectly trained, of the finest, swift and action, 15-13 hands high and perfectly matched. No better horses have ever gone out of Princeton, and Mr. Guest is proud of them. He has sold several horses in Washington, one of which was to Mr. Cleveland's private secretary, Mr. Thurber, and has established quite a reputation there as a handler of fine animals. Princeton Banner.

Henshaw, in Union County, has voted local option by three to one. Born to the wife of Mr. Clements Euter, a ten pound girl, Saturday.

Mr. G. W. Southall, of Beaudette, has moved to the city to live. Helian rented property on High street.

Chas. M. Minton, shot by Will Morrison on Dec. 16, was still alive Saturday. No reports have been received since.

Dr. S. H. Williams has been appointed railroad surgeon at Crofton, in the place of Dr. J. B. Jackson, resigned.

Rev. Geo. Stewart will lecture on prohibition at the Union Church in Canton, next Friday morning at 11 o'clock.

The outfit of the Uniontown News has been sold to Jno. M. Crowe, and will be moved to Morgantown. Dr. F. B. Rhea will help to edit it.

Capt. B. A. Tracy, of Winchester, was caught in the elevator shaft of a mill and instantly killed. He was a candidate for railroad commissioner.

A Boston girl had her legs poisoned by wearing red stockings, and it was necessary to amputate both limbs at the knee last Tuesday to save her life.

Miss Florence Talley, of Oakland, Va., is visiting the family of Mr. J. P. Nichols, near Church Hill. Miss Talley has been teaching school near Trenton for several months.

Miss Elton Craycroft, of Mt. Olivet, Ky., took Rough on Rails because her sweetheart dropped her for another charmer. Two doctors and a stomach pump saved her life.

Forbes & Bro. have put a wind mill 60 feet high, with a wheel 12 feet in diameter, into J. E. Pyle's well, which will be used to pump water for W. T. Cooper's waterworks. The tank will be located near the Hopkinsville High School.

Mr. T. L. Metcalfe's new office building on East Seventh street, is an ornament to that portion of the city. It is designed for the new home of Mr. Metcalfe's newspaper, the Independent, which has heretofore been located in the laundry building. We extend our esteemed contemporary the congratulations of the season upon this increased evidence of its prosperity.

Mr. Leslie Cunningham will move to a farm a few miles west of the city after Jan. 1st.

Rev. J. A. Bennett immersed seven persons at the Baptist church here last Sunday. Princeton Review.

On account of the long illness of its cashier, Mr. Jno. T. Adams, the Bank of Madisonville will wind up its business and quit.

Following are the new officers for Jefferson Davis Lodge, No. 48, K. of P., at Fairview: E. H. Hughes, C. C.; J. A. Bennett, V. C.; O. E. Layton, R. & S.; J. C. Hancock, M. E.; J. W. Yancey, M. E.; L. H. Wilkins, M. A.; W. H. Gray, Trustee long term.

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On account of the above meeting the Ohio Valley City, will sell tickets to Galveston, Texas, and return on December 22, 23 and 24, at one fare for the round trip. Tickets good returning eleven days from date of sale. B. F. Mitchell, G. P. A.

E. M. SHERWOOD, Agt.

What They Say. These are a few sample statements about Dr. King's Royal German Salve from people who have tried it thoroughly: Mrs. E. J. McKee, Uva, Hart county, Ky.: Used it in my family six years; one of the best salves I know. Joe. E. McKee, Morgantown: "Great remedy; nothing like it, or equal to it." Rev. H. R. Risher, D. D., Louisville, Ky.: "Greatest of all remedies." St. 1; 6 for \$5. For sale by all druggists.

One half the want is caused by people looking at this, and the other useful employment as not being given.

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An eccentric Southern woman dated her will 1789 instead of 1889, but the court has decided that this does not impair its validity.

Mabel—How did you manage for partners at the hop? Flo—We dispensed with the music and danced with members of the orchestra.

A baby one day lately from its drunken mother, who was attempting to beat its brains out on the pavement.



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DEC. 19, 1884.

## RESOURCES.

Loans and discounts \$4,239.91  
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Stocks, securities, etc. 41,236.75  
Cash on hand, in transit, and in the vaults 1,507.38  
Deposits on call and "mortgages owned 2,500.00  
Due from national banks (not Re- ceived Agents) 1,381.60  
Due from State banks and bankers 1,381.60  
Due from approved country agents 1,381.60  
Checks and other cash items 4,200.00  
Notes of other National Banks 4,200.00  
Fruit, oil, and other commodities 4,200.00  
Lawful Money received in bank, viz: specie 2,500.00  
Treasury notes 1,250.00  
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasury (not of circulation) 700.00  
Total \$92,439.34

## LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in \$100,000.00  
Surplus fund 1,242.39  
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid 5,296.16  
National bank notes outstanding 14,000.00  
Deposits on call 412.39  
Undivided deposits subject to check 110,262.16  
Total \$92,439.34  
State of Kentucky, county of Christian, ss: I, Thos. W. Johnson, Cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the foregoing statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.  
Thos. W. Johnson, Cashier.  
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 24th day of December, 1884.  
Correct attested: WALTER KELLEY, Not. Pub.  
Jno. H. Fowler, { Directors.  
2nd. Morgan.

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new houses on the front of their warehouse square.

W. S. Elgin has bought a lot on Virginia street and will erect a house to be used as a cigar factory.

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## SUIT.

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Suit all wool Underwear - - - 99c	All wool suits - - 75c	Good wool hat - 50c
Nice laundered shirt for - - - \$1.00	" " " - - \$1.25	" " " - - 75c
	" " " - - 1.50	Genuine Fur - \$1.25
	" " " - - 1.75	" " " - - 1.39
	ODD PANTS.	" " " - - 1.99
New stylish neckwear just from New York.	Odd pants - - 15c	Stetson hats - - 4.00
	" " " - - 48c	Nice stiff hats, new style - - - 1.79
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the stock. She  
wishes to wear  
the bit of bright  
velvet or soft crepe  
has to do with the  
effect of her gown.  
And she is buying  
stocks with a reek-  
lessness that only  
a typical American  
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At present every day brings with it  
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The stock which has bravely held  
its own amid a crowd of novelties is  
made of a band of velvet with two per-  
fect little loops at either side and a buckle  
in the center. These stocks also come  
in crepe de chine, and soft rosettes  
take the place of the loops. They are  
made of striking colors like coral,  
King's blue and blue.

The very latest stock is simplicity it-  
self. It is merely a broad plain band  
of satin ribbon, fastened at the back  
with a big butterfly bow. When made  
of some bright color it gives a stylish  
touch to a sombre waist. Another  
novelty is a combination of necktie  
and stock. Crepe laid in narrow folds  
is used for the stock. To this is fast-  
ened two loops of crepe partially  
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There is a vast number of chiffon  
stocks displayed in the shop windows,  
and the daintiest one is all made of  
a succession of fine chiffon rosettes.

The stock collars joined to a yoke  
are also seen in great variety. Many  
of the yokes are formed of deep Ven-  
drys points, while others are of  
chiffon frills and lace. A beautiful  
Tailor made gown is now worn with  
a chemise of soft plaited chiffon in-  
stead of one of stiff linen. Soft effects  
are all the vogue. Linen collars and  
sleeve studs are losing their popularity.  
—New York World.

**Beef Steak and Oysters.**  
For a steak of from two to three  
pounds use a quart of oysters, from  
which all bits of shell have been care-  
fully removed. Boil the steak with-  
out salting it, as quickly as possible,  
placing it close to a very hot fire, as  
soon as it is brown season with salt  
and pepper, put it on a hot platter and  
put over it the oysters. Then broil the  
oysters two tablespoonsful of butter,  
cut in half inch pieces, and put the  
oysters into a very hot oven until the  
dish is done, which will be as soon  
as their edges begin to curl. Serve the  
dish hot at once.

**Baked Mushrooms.**  
Trim off the roots and imperfect  
parts of a quart of large mushrooms  
and wash them in plenty of cold water  
containing a tablespoonful of vinegar;  
cut as many slices of bread, free from  
crust, as will cover the bottom of a  
medium sized baking pan. Lay the  
mushrooms on the bread, sprinkle  
them with pepper and salt, put a small  
piece of butter on each one and at  
the pan in a hot oven for fifteen minutes.  
Serve the mushrooms on toast, being  
careful that it does not burn.

**This is Imported.**  
Though the roughly woven fabrics  
are all the rage this season, broadcloth  
is receiving its usual amount of patron-  
age. Some years ago the gown of  
broadcloth was made severely plain.  
This year it is trimmed as lavishly as  
any silk gown.



THREE FAVORITE PATTERNS.

A winter costume just imported is  
fashioned of heliotrope lightweight  
broadcloth. Around the bottom of the  
organdie skirt is a trimming of guir-  
pures, with the design outlined in jet.  
The bodice is most elaborate. It is  
made of the broadcloth, with square-  
shaped revers of the jetted guipure and  
a vest of pale blue chiffon. The chif-  
fon is arranged like a double jabot and  
falls from a yoke of mauve colored  
velvet.

**Cocunut Pyramids.**  
Whip the whites of five eggs as for  
icing, add one pound of powdered sug-  
ar while doing this until it will stand  
alone, then beat in one cup of g.ated  
cocunut. Shape into pyramids upon  
a dish and serve.

**Hickory-Nut Macaroni.**  
To one and a half cupfuls of hickory-  
nut meats pounded fine add ground  
salsaparilla and nutmeg to taste. Make a  
dressing as for oysters, stir in the meats  
and spices. Flour the hands and roll  
the mixture into balls about the size of  
a nutmeg. Lay them on tins well  
buttered, giving room to spread, bake  
in a quick oven. Use washed butter  
for greasing the tin, as lard or salt  
butter gives an unpleasant taste.

**New Ribbons.**  
Among ribbons the striped taffetas  
are the latest novelty. Violet striped  
with fine lines of mauve and cream,  
lined with blue, are the newest. The  
wide pous de sole ribbons are very  
beautiful. They may be found in all  
the new shades. Satin ribbons, glisten-  
ing with tiny jets, are also seen.

**Fit For a Princess.**  
It took twenty-five yards of chiffon  
to make it and yet it was only a bodice  
after all. But such a bodice! It was  
more fit for a fairy princess than for a  
celebrity. The chiffon was a delicate  
pink in color and laid in the finest  
plaits. An exquisite pearl and silver  
brooch fastened a deep V-neck.  
The neck was cut square and outlined by  
a soft fold of the chiffon, here and  
there caught in wee rosettes.  
Nothing could be more graceful than  
the short sleeves. It was composed of  
fold after fold of chiffon, one fold peep-



**OF SILVER AND PINK.**  
ing out from beneath the other. At  
the top of the sleeve was a large bow  
of pink satin ribbon with floating ends.  
The little bodice fastened invisibly at  
the back. —New York World.

**Real Lace the Vogue.**  
If you own any real lace, now is the  
time to bring it forth. It is more popu-  
lar than it has been in years. Next  
to point, lace comes the most prized.  
Irish point and Point Venice are also  
favored.

For cloth gowns the coarse yellow  
Point de Bruges lace is the vogue.

**Fashion Notes.**  
A point that the average woman  
will do well to note is the choice of  
material for lining winter garments.  
Three or four thicknesses of woolen  
material will not give the warmth that  
one experiences from one or two of  
thick, closely woven cotton. As an  
interlining for garments for severe  
weather, cotton flannel or denim of  
good quality, is unsurpassed. These  
materials, however, are heavy. This  
is stated for by the feeling of com-  
fort one gets by their use. Next to  
them is some leather material, such  
as chamois or sheepskin. It is possible  
to buy for a very small sum sheep-  
skin sheepskin that is as soft and  
pliable as velvet. Those who have  
never used this as an interlining will  
be surprised at the perfect comfort  
and protection that it affords. There  
are persons who find it impossible to  
keep warm no matter what amount of  
woolen material they may put on.  
This may be constitutional peculiar-  
ity, but, nevertheless, it exists, and  
is worthy of consideration.

In trimming waists it is desirable to  
put a little garniture across the back  
between the shoulders as may be.  
Especially is this necessary if one is in-  
clined to stoop. The best way to put  
elaborate garnitures on waists is to  
have them end at the back of the  
sleeves. They must be very full over  
the shoulders, but much less so across  
the front. Indeed, there should be just  
enough fullness to hang gracefully.  
One third allowance is often too much  
for the best effects, unless the lace is  
very wide. Goods made into ruffles  
should be adjusted after the dress is  
put on. This saves a good deal of  
trouble, and produces much better  
effects.

The faded suit belt and collar are  
having a long season of popularity.  
They are almost universally employed  
on dressy costumes, and are extremely  
becoming to all except very stout per-  
sons.

The present season is specially ad-  
vantageous in the way of economy in  
dress. It is quite possible to use two  
partly worn dresses to make one good  
one. Combination has reached a fine  
art, and there is quite enough material  
going to waste in most homes to fur-  
nish charming costumes for householders  
and possibly more dressy oc-  
casions.

Heavy fabrics for house wear are  
going altogether out of use. All the  
year round materials are much more  
serviceable, and are better liked by al-  
most all women. The necessary  
warmth is made up by suitable under-  
wear. Indeed, when one goes out, the  
long, heavy skirt is a necessity, espe-  
cially for delicate persons.

Elaborateness seems to have run mad  
in some of the imported materials for  
outside garments. There are sleeves  
with puffs like the hair of a lion.  
From these fall cape sections as long  
as the coat itself.

Palettes of lace, jet, embroidery and  
passmenterie are in general use in  
good dresses.



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Life on the Ocean Wave and Home on  
the Rolling Deep.

Admiral von Werner, a high authority  
in naval matters in Germany, de-  
scribes in a work recently published  
the behavior of armor-plated men-of-  
war in heavy seas. He says: "Even  
with a moderate gale and sea an  
armor-plated ship will find herself in con-  
dition similar to those of a storm—at  
least, the crew will have that im-  
pression. The movements of the stern  
of the ship are violent and exceed-  
ingly disagreeable. The waves pushed  
by the advancing prow sweep con-  
tinually over the ship from bow to  
stern. All windows and port holes  
must be closed, and air reaches the  
lower decks, where the heat increases  
unbearably, only through the artificial  
ventilators. With the ex-  
ception of the specially pro-  
tected command bridge all the  
uncovered portions of the ship are  
impassable; thus the whole of the  
crew must bear as well as they can  
the hell of the closed decks. On such  
a ship no one can feel comfortable;  
and when there is a storm in which a  
sailing ship would feel comparatively  
at ease the crew of an armor-plated  
ship imagines itself to be in a heavy  
hurricane which threatens destruc-  
tion at every minute. The long, nar-  
row forepart of the ship, which is not  
borne lightly by the water, and is  
rendered extremely heavy by the  
mighty ram and the armored deck  
and the cannon and torpedoes, forces  
the ship in a high sea to pitchings  
and rollings of such an extraordinary  
kind that they cannot be described.  
The crew of such a ship is constantly  
exposed to mortal dangers, but the  
voyages they make render them  
physically, extremely and danger-  
ously nervous; the mental impressions  
they receive wear them out and make  
the profession hat-fall."

**THEY ARE WELL "FIXED."**  
What the Comte de Paris' Family Have  
Recently Possessed.

"The Comte de Paris was not stingy,  
but was fond of money. His view of  
his children was that without heaps  
of money and royal husbands or  
wives their lot would be miserable.  
Between the dowries he could give  
and the importance the courts of  
Europe attach to him as a "legiti-  
mate" pretender, their matrimonial  
prospects were brilliant. The queen  
of Portugal was given \$20,000 a year  
during her parents' lifetime. She  
will altogether have about \$50,000 or  
more. So will each of her sisters.

The youngest son was left the re-  
version of Villa Marmore, which is  
now worth \$900,000 francs. The  
Comte de Paris must have been worth  
\$325,000 a year, independently of what  
he had from the duchess de Galliera.  
He had a fourteenth part of the 37,  
000,000 francs of annuities, and of  
"the Orleans debt," of 14,000,000  
francs, which the Versailles assembly  
allowed to Louis Philippe's debt.

If the uncle's and aunt's shares be  
and the due de Chartres had about  
\$200,000 apiece, the arrears of their  
mother's dower income, which was  
secured on the Orleans estate. The  
duchess de Galliera gave about 1,200,  
000 francs. A good deal of this  
was sunk in improvements of the Eu  
and Ambrose chateaux and estates,  
but very little of it was spent on  
political organizations.

The fortune of the Comte de  
Paris must be very great, but it has  
been kept "dark."

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but she is known all over the profes-  
sional and fashionable world as sim-  
ply "Hernhardt's dressmaker." She  
picks her customers gets her own  
prices, charges like a body of cavalry  
in combat, and makes gowns, robes,  
wraps and those indescribable lace  
things collectively known as con-  
fections that are the envy or elimina-  
tion of the gay world. She has a dozen  
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English patronesses and a hundred or  
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PERSONAL GORRER.

Miss Nichle Burnett is visiting friends in Clarksville.

Judge J. L. Dwyer, of Louisiana, is visiting his mother this week.

Col. Thomas Rodman arrived from Frankfort Friday night.

Mrs. Holman, of Logan county, is visiting her mother, Mrs. S. J. Dalton.

Miss May Ware is visiting her sister, Mrs. McRoberts, in Lancaster, Ky.

Rev. A. W. Meacham, of Gracely, attended the Wharton meeting last week.

Miss Sallie Rust has gone to Mayfield to spend the holidays with friends.

Harry Blythe has returned from Hot Springs, Ark., much improved in health.

Mrs. A. G. Warfield, of St. Bethlehem, Tenn., is visiting relatives in this city.

Prof. C. C. Ferrell, of the University of Miss., is spending the holidays at home.

Mrs. Geo. Muir, of Jeffersonville, Ind., is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Clemens Ueter.

Miss Lizzie Gaither has returned from a visit of several weeks to relatives in Texas.

Mr. McClure Kelly, of Atlanta, Ga. is spending Christmas in the city with his parents.

Mrs. Jno W. McPherson has returned from a visit of two months to friends in Louisiana.

Drs. C. H. Tandy, and Rich Perry are home from their dental studies at Vanderbilt University.

Miss Jessie Howe, of Nashville, is visiting her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Henderson.

Mr. J. A. Browning of Church Hill, visited his sister, Mrs. Lewis Potter, in Warren county, last week.

Mr. R. E. Cooper has rented his residence on South Main street to Miss Evans and Mr. and Mrs. Cooper will board next year.

Mr. W. H. Barr of Bowling Green, spent Sunday in the city visiting his daughters, Mrs. P. F. Huffman and Mrs. J. J. Metcalfe.

Mrs. W. H. H. Southland, who was recalled by the death of her mother, Mrs. Rodman, again left yesterday for her home in Washington.

Miss Adelle Bell Hardin has returned to her home in Bowling Green. She was accompanied by her sister, Mrs. George E. Gary, who will spend the week with her parents.

Dr. D. J. Gish has moved back in to his residence property near the O. V. depot, and will keep house in the future with his daughter, Mrs. Sargent.

Mr. W. H. Cox and family will move this week to Clark's Station, near Leitchfield, Ky., to make their home on a farm. In their departure Hopkinsville will lose a most estimable family. Mr. Cox is one of Forbes & Bro's trusted employees and is a good and useful citizen. Mrs. Cox is a most worthy lady, whose christian influence is felt in her neighborhood. Their daughters, two of whom are teaching in the county are intelligent, cultivated and attractive young ladies. The latter will not go to Grayson county until their schools are out.

THE KENTUCKIAN takes pleasure in commending Mr. Cox and his family to those among whom he will live in the future, as worthy of their respect and confidence.

MATHEMATICAL.

HAYES-CREWS—Last Thursday afternoon at the Christian Church at Roaring Spring, Mr. H. T. Hayes and Miss Beulah Crews were married. Rev. J. A. Allison officiating. Both young people are very popular in society and are well known in this city.

DEANSON-FINCH—Mr. R. W. Deanson and Miss Maggie Finch, both of the Fairview neighborhood, eloped to Clarksville last Thursday and were united in marriage.

BARRETT-McINROSE—Sunday afternoon, near Kelly, Miss May A. Barrett was married to Mr. Jos. E. Barrett, of Elizabethtown.

CORNBELT-SPIGHER—Mr. Wm. Cornbelt, of this county, and Miss Sallie Spigher, of near Clarksville, were married last Thursday. At night the happy couple were given a reception in the home of Mr. T. B. Minsie, near Embury.

DEATHS.

GALLOWAY—Moses Galloway, a son of Mr. Sam'l Galloway, died near Courting Spring, of brain fever on the 9th inst.

Lanford Williams, of Big Rock, was moved to Howell and taken in charge of the hotel at that place.

DEATH OF MRS. RODMAN.

Wife of a Prominent Physician Passes Away Suddenly.

After a long illness, Mrs. Henrietta Thompson Rodman, wife of Dr. James Rodman, died at 5 o'clock on the evening of Dec. 20. Though Mrs. Rodman's condition was such that her entire recovery was not regarded as probable, it was not thought that the end was so near. She had been entirely ill for some days, but became so much better that her daughter had started to return home the day before and it was hoped that the sufferer would be given a new lease of life. But suddenly and without warning the fatal relapse came and in a few moments death's hand was laid upon her. Heart disease was the supposed immediate cause of her death.

Mrs. Rodman was a native of Henry county, Ky., but for more than thirty years had resided with her husband in this city, most of the time at the asylum, of which Dr. Rodman was superintendent from 1863 to 1889. During all these years her life was a shining example of goodness and christianity. She was a consistent member of the Baptist church and was always ready to do her part in church duties and works of charity. Her funeral services were held at her church, and by those who enjoyed her friendship and more than all will she be missed in the home circle her gentle presence blessed for nearly forty years. Mrs. Rodman was in the 64th year of her age. She leaves a devoted husband and two grief-stricken children. Mrs. W. H. H. Southland, of Washington, D. C., and Mr. Thomas Rodman, of Nashville, Tenn. Mrs. Southland was recalled by a telegram to Mt. Sterling and returned in time to attend her mother's funeral.

The funeral services were held at the Baptist church Saturday afternoon and were simple and brief, consisting of the reading of favorite verses of the deceased, marked in her own Bible, and singing and prayer. Rev. C. H. Nash conducted the services, which were concluded with a prayer by Dr. Wharton. A long procession of sorrowing friends then followed the body to the cemetery. The pall-bearers were Drs. B. F. Eager and T. W. Blakey, and Messrs. E. M. Plack, Nat Gaither, H. D. Wallace, W. T. Tandy, R. L. Smith, Ben U. Campbell, Jno. B. Trice, and Chas. M. Meacham.

A short service was held at the grave. A wall'd sepulcher had been prepared, which was sealed after the services were concluded. Many friends remained until after their work was over to deposit flowers upon the new-made grave, that held the mortal remains of one of the best and noblest of women.

To Open January 3.

The date for the formal opening of Hotel Leitch is finally fixed. The reception in honor of the great, will be a grand banquet, will be held at 8 o'clock Thursday night, January 3. The invitations which have been issued in the name of the directors contain the names of the fifty-five or thirty ladies and gentlemen as the reception committee. Tickets are enclosed which will be presented at the door. On the opening night there will be a ball in aid of the management of the German Club of the city.

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Dividend No. 17.

At the regular meeting of the Board of Directors, of the Crescent Milling Co., a dividend of four per cent, was declared for six months ending Nov. R. H. Dietzville, Sec. and Treas.

Police Court.

George Bullard, drunk and disorderly, 23 days in the work house.

George Crutcheff, child, shooting in the city limits, fined \$5.

Bill Wyon, col., breach of the peace, 10 days.

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FOR ONE DOLLAR ONLY. Dr. Halney of Lexington will extract teeth by the use of his new and most painless process. Known to students for one week beginning Dec. 25th. For all interested call and investigate for the method. Dr. Halney can be found at the Pharmacy in July 1893.

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The firm of Ware & Overby heretofore existing, has been dissolved. H. B. Ware, of this city, and J. B. Overby, who will continue in the business at the same stand. WARE & OVERBY. Dec. 15, 1894.

VITALITY.

Multiple strength, curing dyspepsia, aided by thorough diet.

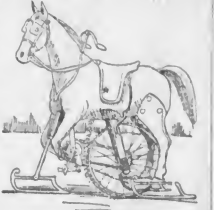
Simple Process for Bronzing Copper.

Mr. Mondell of Cain publishes a formula which is said to be capable of giving every tone from bronze to antique green, according to the length of time that the copper is allowed to remain in contact with the liquid. After the piece has been scored, it is covered with the following mixture by means of a brush:

Soup.....30  
Alcohol.....30  
Soft soap.....40  
Water.....40  
The mixture is left on the required shade is obtained, then dried with hot sawdust and coated with a very dilute varnish.

A Velocipede to Run on Snow and Ice.

This machine, patented by Mr. Samuel Young, is perfectly made in the form shown in the illustration, although its body may be constructed substantially the same as a safety bicycle. As shown the front legs form hangers for the pedal shaft and the rear ones are detachable and each connected with a runner. The steering rod, with a handle bar on its upper end, passes through the front portion of the body, and its lower end secured to a runner. In a recess of the body above the pedal shaft is a vertical U shaped hanger adjustably secured to the front legs by screws passed through one of a series of holes whereby the height of the hanger is regulated, and the hanger supports the pedal shaft, mounted in suitable boxes. The driving chain from this shaft extends backward over a sprocket wheel, connected with a big sprocket wheel journaled in vertically moving slides which project into the body of the machine, the large wheel carrying a spur chain adapted to connect with the snow or ice. The slide frames are carried by a slotted pipe in the under side of the body, and the spur chain runs over a sprocket wheel on a shaft journaled in vertically adjustable boxes in the upper ends of the slides, the latter resting on springs which also support a portion of the saddle. Connected also with the slides are rods which extend upward on opposite sides of the body and terminate beneath the rear end of the saddle. Chains connect the rear runners with the front ones—Scientific American.



THE ICE VELOCIPED.

The Pains of Rheumatism.

According to the best authorities, rheumatism is a morbid condition of the blood. Leucic acid, caused by the decomposition of the gelatinous and albuminous tissues, circulates in the blood and attacks the fibrous tissues, particularly in the joints, and thus causes the local manifestations of the disease. The back and the shoulders are the parts usually affected by rheumatism, and the joints of the knees, ankles, hips and wrists are also sometimes attacked. Thousands of people have found in Hood's Sarsaparilla a positive and permanent cure for rheumatism. It has had remarkable success in curing the most severe cases. The secret of its success lies in the fact that it attacks at once the cause of the disease by neutralizing the lactic acid and poisonous elements in the blood, as well as strengthening every function of the body.

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HERE AND THERE.

Spectacles found. Apply here.

Holiday Goods at Hopper Bros.

Electropiles rented four months for \$10. Mr. MATTIE U. BUCKNER, Agt.

For \$10. W. Griffin, the Lafayette undertaker, has just graduated from the Nashville school of embalming under Prof. Clark, of Springfield, Ohio, and returned Thursday with his certificate.

The country roads are in excellent condition, and the plies are used but little where dirt roads are equally as convenient.

Mr. W. A. McKnight has been appointed L. & N. agent at Howell. He leaves Dec. 27. J. P. Dixon, who resigned last week.

The O. V. ran an excursion from Princeton to Evansville Friday and 600 people from along the line took advantage of the low rate.

Dr. S. J. Baker, specialist eye, ear, nose and throat, office over Wallace & Talliferro's drug store.

On account of the inequality in the size of boxes, the Postoffice Department has rearranged the scale of prices for box rent. The charge will be in the future 50 cents for single, 75 for double and \$1 for drawers.

W. T. Branne, who was recently elected constable of the Lafayette municipal district, has resigned his position as marshal of the place, and R. W. McCracken has been appointed policeman in his stead, until a meeting of the board of trustees can be had, when another marshal will be appointed. It is likely that Mr. McCracken will be chosen for the place.

Mr. J. K. Gant, who breeds prize light Brambles and Laghorns, exhibited a pair of Red Laghorns at the poultry show recently held at Bowling Green. He has just shown us a letter from the secretary of the Association saying that they far outclassed anything shown and were greatly admired.

Any Lee, now starting with Frank Donno and P. Aug. Anderson in "Pawne Ticket 210," is the daughter of Rose and Harry Watkins, whose names are household words in the south where they they started for so many years, with their own company, "Little Amy" playing the child's parts in their various productions. They retired from the stage a little over ten years ago and resided in their old home in 23rd street, New York City, until the time of Mr. Watkins' sudden demise of heart failure last February. Miss Amy's mother is now traveling, with the company and playing also, in order to be with her daughter. The former "Queen Star of the South" will be happy to revive old and delightful memories and meet her many dear southern friends of former days. Friday, December 13th, at opera house.

Handsome Gift Books at Hopper Bros.

The finest line of books ever seen in the city at Hopper Bros. Standard works and all the latest and newest novels.

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Order your ink-balls and pens from Matthews, the Ninth street grocer.

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Games of every description at Hopper Bros.

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THEY HAVE COME.

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Such as oranges, lemons, bananas, coconuts, New York apples, etc., just received at Duquigault & Wells. Get your Christmas supplies of them.

Just Arrived.

A heavy stock of Christmas goods, all sorts, at Griffith's. Prices to suit all. They must go.

Fancy Candies.

Buy your candies, nuts and foreign fruits of Duquigault & Wells and save money. They have an immense stock and they are selling at bottom prices.

Carl C. Moore, Hopkinsville, Ky.

The very fine full blooded Indian cane, Light frame, and Black, all kinds of cane for sale. \$1.50 to \$3.00 each. Also furniture, and all other goods, at 25 cents to 50 cents.

Candy in Boxes.

Get a box of fancy candy of Jno. L. Griffith. He has some "dandies." Prices all right.

For California evaporated peaches, apricots, apples, prunes, figs, raisins, citrons, &c., call on J. R. Hawkins.

Griffith's is headquarters for foreign and domestic fruits, fine candies, etc. Try him. Cheap for cash.

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Try Jno. L. Griffith for French candies, oranges, apples, and other fruits.

J. R. Hawkins the 9th St. Grocer, sells Finner's Golden Relief.

After making out your order for Christmas goods see Duquigault & Wells. Take into the stock, and will make you prices.

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